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Claim 1 has been amended as outlined below. The currently pending claims, including the aforementioned amendments, are as follows:

- 1. (Once Amended) A device for protecting components within an electronic system from
 radiated electromagnetic energy during concurrent maintenance, the device comprising:
- a sheet of electromagnetic shielding material sized to overlay a portion of the electronic system;
- an opening formed in the sheet and sized for accessing the components within the electronic system; and
- a grounding member electrically coupled to the sheet and adapted to be coupled to a ground, the grounding member including a wire terminated with a clip for removably coupling the grounding member to ground.
- 1 2. The device of claim 1, wherein the sheet comprises a transparent material.
- 1 3. The device of claim 1, wherein the sheet comprises a flexible shielding material of a metallized polymer.
- The device of claim 1, further comprising a gripping device attached to said sheet
 for removably securing the sheet to the electronic system.
- 1 5. The device of claim 4, wherein said gripping device includes an adhesive layer.
- 1 6. The device of claim 4, wherein said gripping device is electrically coupled to said
- 2 sheet and configured to electrically couple to the electronic system.

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- 1 7. The device of claim 1, wherein the opening is a slit.
- 1 8. The device of claim 1, wherein the opening is a closable flap.
- 1 A method of performing concurrent maintenance on an electronic system, the 9.
- 2 method comprising:
- 3 shrouding at least a portion of an enclosure of the electronic system with a sheet
- 4 of shielding material while the electronic system is operating;
- 5 grounding the sheet; and
- 6 performing concurrent maintenance on the electronic system.
- 1 The method of claim 9, further comprising: 10.
- 2 opening the enclosure with the sheet shrouding components within the electronic system.
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- 1 11. The method of claim 9, further comprising:
- 2 forming a slit in the sheet for accessing the shrouded components within the 3
- electronic system.
- 1 12. The method of claim 9, further comprising:
- 2 closing the enclosure with the sheet shrouding components within the electronic 3 system.
- 1 13. The method of claim 9, further comprising:
- 2 attaching the sheet to the electronic system.

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